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(General - Patent Pending)**

Docket No.  
112740-207

In Re Application of: **Brumm et al.**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/827,487	August 9, 2001	Michael J. Moore, Jr.	29177	2661	5738

Title: **SYSTEM FOR CONNECTING TELECOMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT TO A PACKET-SWITCHING TELECOMMUNICATION NETWORK**

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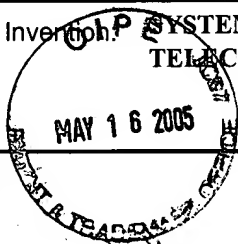
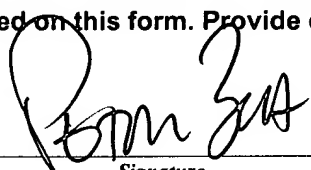

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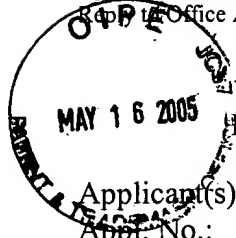
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 11, 2005, Applicant herein provides amendments to the drawings and claims and requests reconsideration of the presently-pending application for the reasons as set forth in the following Remarks/Arguments.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 8 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.

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